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AB      The CXC-chemokines interleukin-8 (IL-8), neutrophil
-activating peptide-2 (NAP-2), and melanoma growth-stimulatory activity
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CXCR-2 rendering the cells responsive to low dosages of the
chemokine, and with CXCR-1 extending their responsiveness to NAP-2
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 TITLE: The CXC-**chemokine neutrophil**  
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 CXCR-1 and CXCR-2  
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**chemotaxis**; melanoma growth stimulatory activity  
**neutrophil chemotaxis**; **neutrophil**  
**chemotaxis** NAP 2 MGSA receptor; CXCR1 **neutrophil**  
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 IT **Neutrophil chemotaxis**  
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**chemotaxis** by differential interaction with CXCR-1 and CXCR-2  
 receptors)  
 IT MGSA **chemokine**  
**Neutrophil**-activating peptide-2

RL: BAC (Biological activity or effector, except adverse); BIOL (Biological study)

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TITLE: **Neutrophil** accumulation on activated, surface-adherent platelets in flow is mediated by interaction of Mac-1 with fibrinogen bound to .alpha.IIb.beta.3 and stimulated by platelet-activating factor

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- ST **neutrophil** platelet Mac1 fibrinogen  $\alpha$ .Ib. $\beta$ .3 PAF; integrin platelet activating factor **neutrophil** accumulation
- IT Cytokine receptors  
 RL: BOC (Biological occurrence); BIOL (Biological study); OCCU (Occurrence)  
 (**chemokine**, **CXCR2**; **neutrophil** accumulation in flow involves interaction of Mac-1 with fibrinogen presented by  $\alpha$ .Ib. $\beta$ .3 on platelets, activation by platelet-activating factor, and tethering on ICAM-2)
- IT Cell adhesion  
**Neutrophil**  
 Platelet (blood)  
 (**neutrophil** accumulation in flow involves interaction of Mac-1 with fibrinogen presented by  $\alpha$ .Ib. $\beta$ .3 on platelets, activation by platelet-activating factor, and tethering on ICAM-2)
- IT Integrin  $\alpha$ .Ib. $\beta$ .3  
 Mac-1 antigen  
 RL: BAC (Biological activity or effector, except adverse); BPR (Biological process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)  
 (**neutrophil** accumulation in flow involves interaction of Mac-1 with fibrinogen presented by  $\alpha$ .Ib. $\beta$ .3 on platelets, activation by platelet-activating factor, and tethering on ICAM-2)
- IT ICAM-2 (cell adhesion molecule)  
 LFA-1 (antigen)  
 RL: BOC (Biological occurrence); BIOL (Biological study); OCCU (Occurrence)  
 (**neutrophil** accumulation in flow involves interaction of Mac-1 with fibrinogen presented by  $\alpha$ .Ib. $\beta$ .3 on platelets, activation by platelet-activating factor, and tethering on ICAM-2)
- IT Fibrinogens  
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- IT **Chemokines**  
 RL: BOC (Biological occurrence); BIOL (Biological study); OCCU (Occurrence)  
 (receptors, **CXCR2**; **neutrophil** accumulation in flow

involves interaction of Mac-1 with fibrinogen presented by .alpha.IIb.beta.3 on platelets, activation by platelet-activating factor, and tethering on ICAM-2)

IT **Neutrophil** infiltration

(recruitment; **neutrophil** accumulation in flow involves interaction of Mac-1 with fibrinogen presented by .alpha.IIb.beta.3 on platelets, activation by platelet-activating factor, and tethering on ICAM-2)

IT 65154-06-5, Platelet-activating factor

RL: BAC (Biological activity or effector, except adverse); BIOL (Biological study)

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TITLE: Stoichiometry and binding interactions in the interleukin-8 **inflammation** pathway.

AUTHOR(S): Lowman, H. B.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department Protein Engineering, Genentech, Inc., South San Francisco, CA, 94080, USA

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 127:160356

TITLE: **Chemokine** antagonists that discriminate between interleukin-8 receptors. Selective **blockers** of **CXCR2**

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- ST human **neutrophil** IL8 receptor analog GROalpha; CXCR1 receptor binding analog IL8 \*\*\*neutrophil\*\*\* ; **CXCR2** receptor binding analog PF4 **neutrophil**
- IT Interleukin 8  
 RL: BAC (Biological activity or effector, except adverse); BPR (Biological process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)  
 ((AAA)IL-8 and (R)IL-8 and (R)IL-8,NMeLeu; anal. of N-terminally modified analogs of IL-8, GRO.alpha. and PF4 for **inhibition** of **neutrophil** function and selective binding to CXCR1 and **CXCR2** bearing cells)
- IT MGSA **chemokine**  
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- IT **Neutrophil**  
 (anal. of N-terminally modified analogs of IL-8, GRO.alpha. and PF4 for **inhibition** of **neutrophil** function and selective binding to CXCR1 and **CXCR2** bearing cells)
- IT Interleukin 8 receptors  
 RL: BPR (Biological process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)  
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 (.beta., renamed **CXCR2** (CXC **chemokine** receptor 2); anal. of N-terminally modified analogs of IL-8, GRO.alpha. and PF4 for **inhibition** of **neutrophil** function and selective binding to CXCR1 and **CXCR2** bearing cells)
- IT 37270-94-3, Platelet factor 4



RL: BAC (Biological activity or effector, except adverse); BPR (Biological process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)  
 ((ELR)PF4 and (R)PF4; anal. of N-terminally modified analogs of IL-8, GRO.alpha. and PF4 for **inhibition of neutrophil** function and selective binding to CXCR1 and **CXCR2** bearing cells)

IT 9004-06-2, Elastase

RL: BPR (Biological process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)  
 (effect of IL-8 antagonists on elastase release induced in human **neutrophils** by IL-8 and GRO.alpha.)

IT 11062-77-4, Superoxide

RL: BPR (Biological process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)  
 (effect of IL-8 antagonists on superoxide prodn. by human **neutrophils**)

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TITLE: IL-8 and NAP-2 differ in their capacities to bind and chemoattract 293 cells transfected with either IL-8 receptor type A or type B

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- ST interleukin 8 **neutrophil** activating peptide 2
- IT **Chemotaxis**  
(chemotactic effects of interleukin-8 and **neutrophil** activating peptide 2 in relation to interleukin-8 receptor types A and B)
- IT Interleukin 8  
**Neutrophil**-activating peptide-2  
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TITLE: Characterization of Synthetic Human Granulocyte Chemotactic Protein 2: Usage of **Chemokine** Receptors CXCR1 and **CXCR2** and in Vivo **Inflammatory** Properties  
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ST granulocyte chemotactic protein 2 CXCR1 **CXCR2**;

**inflammation** granulocyte chemotactic protein 2 **chemokine**

IT **Chemokines**

RL: ADV (Adverse effect, including toxicity); BAC (Biological activity or effector, except adverse); BPR (Biological process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)

(granulocyte chemotactic protein 2 (GCP-2); granulocyte chemotactic protein 2 is **neutrophil** chemoattractant that binds **chemokine** receptors CXCR1 and **CXCR2** and is **inflammatory**)

IT **Chemotaxis**

**Inflammation**

**Neutrophil**

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IT Interleukin 8 receptors

RL: BOC (Biological occurrence); BIOL (Biological study); OCCU (Occurrence)

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 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 126:143145  
 TITLE: **Chemokine** receptor usage by human eosinophils: the importance of CCR3 demonstrated using an antagonistic monoclonal antibody  
 AUTHOR(S): Heath, Heidi; Qin, Shixin; Rao, Pat; Wu, Lijun; LaRosa, Greg; Kassam, Nasim; Ponath, Paul D.; Mackay, Charles R.  
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ST eosinophil CCR3 **chemokine** receptor  
 IT RANTES (**chemokine**)  
 RL: BPR (Biological process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)  
 (CCR3 **chemokine** receptor usage by human eosinophils and response to)

IT **Chemotaxis**  
 Eosinophil  
 (**chemokine** receptor usage by human eosinophils: the importance of CCR3 demonstrated using an antagonistic monoclonal antibody)

IT Monoclonal antibodies  
 RL: BPR (Biological process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)  
 (**chemokine** receptor usage by human eosinophils: the importance of CCR3 demonstrated using an antagonistic monoclonal antibody)

- IT Cytokine receptors  
RL: BPR (Biological process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)  
(**chemokine**, CCR3; **chemokine** receptor usage by human eosinophils: the importance of CCR3 demonstrated using an antagonistic monoclonal antibody)
- IT Cytokines  
RL: BPR (Biological process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)  
(monocyte chemotactic factor, -2; CCR3 **chemokine** receptor usage by human eosinophils and response to)
- IT Cytokines  
RL: BPR (Biological process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)  
(monocyte chemotactic factor, -3; CCR3 **chemokine** receptor usage by human eosinophils and response to)
- IT Cytokines  
RL: BPR (Biological process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)  
(monocyte chemotactic factor, -4; CCR3 **chemokine** receptor usage by human eosinophils and response to)
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RL: BPR (Biological process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)  
(receptors, CCR3; **chemokine** receptor usage by human eosinophils: the importance of CCR3 demonstrated using an antagonistic monoclonal antibody)
- IT 7440-70-2, Calcium, biological studies  
RL: BPR (Biological process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)  
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TITLE: **Chemotaxis** and IL-8 receptor expression in B

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ST **chemotaxis** interleukin 8 receptor B cell; HIV infection B cell  
**chemotaxis** cytokine

IT Cytokines  
RL: BAC (Biological activity or effector, except adverse); BIOL (Biological study)  
(GRO-.alpha.; .alpha. **chemokines** effect on **chemotaxis** and interleukin-8 receptor expression in B cells in health and HIV infection)

IT Human immunodeficiency virus  
Th1 cell  
Th2 cell  
(**chemotaxis** and interleukin-8 receptor expression in B cells and their response to Th1- and Th2-type cytokines are modified in HIV infection)

IT Interferon .gamma.  
Interleukin 10

Interleukin 13

Interleukin 2

Interleukin 4

Tumor necrosis factor .alpha.

RL: BAC (Biological activity or effector, except adverse); BIOL

(Biological study)

(**chemotaxis** and interleukin-8 receptor expression in B cells and their response to Th1- and Th2-type cytokines are modified in HIV infection)

IT B cell (lymphocyte)

**Chemotaxis**

(.alpha. **chemokines** effect on **chemotaxis** and interleukin-8 receptor expression in B cells in health and HIV infection)

IT Interleukin 8

RL: BAC (Biological activity or effector, except adverse); BIOL

(Biological study)

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IT Interleukin 8 receptors

RL: BOC (Biological occurrence); BIOL (Biological study); OCCU

(Occurrence)

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 TITLE: Discrete steps in binding and signaling of interleukin-8 with its receptor  
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 ST interleukin 8 receptor signal transduction **chemotaxis**

IT **Chemotaxis**  
 Conformation  
**Neutrophil**  
 Signal transduction (biological)  
 (discrete steps in binding and signaling of interleukin-8 with receptor)

IT Interleukin 8  
 MGSA **chemokine**  
 RL: BPR (Biological process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)  
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 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 125:299120  
 TITLE: Identification of G-protein binding sites of the human interleukin-8 receptors by functional mapping of the intracellular loops

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IT **Neutrophil**

Signal transduction, biological

(interleukin-8 signaling in human **neutrophils** in relation to G-protein binding sites on human interleukin-8 receptors)

IT G proteins (guanine nucleotide-binding proteins)

RL: BPR (Biological process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)  
(Gi2 (adenylate cyclase-**inhibiting**, 2), G-protein binding sites identification on human interleukin-8 receptors by functional mapping of intracellular loops)

IT Lymphokines and Cytokines

RL: BAC (Biological activity or effector, except adverse); BIOL (Biological study)

(interleukin 8, interleukin-8 signaling in human **neutrophils** in relation to G-protein binding sites on human interleukin-8 receptors)

IT 182883-69-8 182883-70-1 182883-71-2 182883-72-3

RL: PRP (Properties)

(interleukin-8 signaling in human **neutrophils** in relation to G-protein binding sites on human interleukin-8 receptors)

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996:528399 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 125:193121  
TITLE: Diverging signal transduction pathways activated by interleukin 8 (IL-8) and related **chemokines** in human **neutrophils**. IL-8 and Gro- $\alpha$ . differentially stimulate calcium influx through IL-8 receptors A and B  
AUTHOR(S): Damaj, Bassam B.; McColl, Shaun R.; Neote, Kuldeep; Hebert, Caroline A.; Naccache, Paul H.  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Centre de Recherche du CHUL and Department Medicine, Faculty Medicine, Universite Laval, Sainte-Foy, PQ, G1V 4G2, Can.  
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ST **neutrophil** interleukin 8 signal transduction calcium; Gro alpha  
**chemokine neutrophil** calcium

IT **Neutrophil**

Signal transduction, biological

(interleukin-8 and Gro-.alpha. differentially stimulate calcium influx through IL-8 receptors A and B in human **neutrophils**)

IT Lymphokine and cytokine receptors  
Receptors

RL: BPR (Biological process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)  
(interleukin 8, A and B; interleukin-8 and Gro-.alpha. differentially stimulate calcium influx through IL-8 receptors A and B in human **neutrophils**)

IT Lymphokines and Cytokines

RL: BPR (Biological process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)  
(interleukin 8, interleukin-8 and Gro-.alpha. differentially stimulate calcium influx through IL-8 receptors A and B in human **neutrophils**)

IT Lymphokines and Cytokines

RL: BPR (Biological process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)  
(melanoma growth-stimulating activity-.alpha., interleukin-8 and Gro-.alpha. differentially stimulate calcium influx through IL-8 receptors A and B in human **neutrophils**)

IT 7439-96-5, Manganese, biological studies 7440-70-2, Calcium, biological studies

RL: BPR (Biological process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)  
(influx; interleukin-8 and Gro-.alpha. differentially stimulate calcium influx through IL-8 receptors A and B in human **neutrophils**)

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calcium responses obtained upon stimulation with IL-8. These results demonstrate that the occupation of either type of IL-8 receptor leads to a phys. coupling to the .alpha.-subunit of Gi2. In addn., the use of the subunit-specific peptides identified two functionally important but distinct regions of Gi.alpha., one involved in receptor/Gi.alpha. interaction (KENLKDCGLF) and the other mediating downstream signal transmission (LERIAQSDYI). Finally, the results of this study also validate the use of the transfected 293 cell line as a model for the study of the signal transduction pathway(s) initiated by IL-8.

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996:335064 CAPLUS  
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 125:8162  
 TITLE: Physical association of Gi2.alpha. with interleukin-8 receptors  
 AUTHOR(S): Damaj, Bassam B.; McColl, Shaun R.; Mahana, Wahib; Crouch, Michael F.; Naccache, Paul H.  
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Cent. Rech. Rhumatol. Immunol., Univ. Laval, Sainte-Foy, PQ, G1V 4G2, Can.  
 SOURCE: J. Biol. Chem. (1996), 271(22), 12783-12789  
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 LANGUAGE: English  
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- IT **Neutrophil**  
Signal transduction, biological  
(phys. assocn. of G proteins with interleukin-8 receptors in **neutrophils**)
- IT G proteins (guanine nucleotide-binding proteins)  
RL: BPR (Biological process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)  
(complexes, phys. assocn. of G proteins with interleukin-8 receptors in **neutrophils**)
- IT Lymphokines and Cytokines  
RL: BAC (Biological activity or effector, except adverse); BIOL (Biological study)  
(interleukin 8, phys. assocn. of G proteins with interleukin-8 receptors in **neutrophils**)
- IT Lymphokine and cytokine receptors  
RL: BPR (Biological process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)  
(interleukin 8 .alpha., complexes; phys. assocn. of G proteins with interleukin-8 receptors in **neutrophils**)
- IT Lymphokine and cytokine receptors  
RL: BPR (Biological process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)  
(interleukin 8 .beta., complexes; phys. assocn. of G proteins with interleukin-8 receptors in **neutrophils**)
- IT Receptors  
RL: BPR (Biological process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)  
(interleukin 8, .alpha., complexes; phys. assocn. of G proteins with interleukin-8 receptors in **neutrophils**)
- IT Receptors  
RL: BPR (Biological process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)  
(interleukin 8, .beta., complexes; phys. assocn. of G proteins with interleukin-8 receptors in **neutrophils**)
- IT 7440-70-2, Calcium, biological studies 111863-81-1 111863-84-4  
RL: BPR (Biological process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)  
(phys. assocn. of G proteins with interleukin-8 receptors in **neutrophils**)

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996:136645 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 124:173156

TITLE: Antibodies against the N-terminus of IL-8 receptor A **inhibit neutrophil chemotaxis**

AUTHOR(S): Quan, J. M.; Martin, T. R.; Rosenberg, G. B.; Foster, D. C.; Whitmore, T.; Goodman, R. B.

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ST antibody interleukin 8 receptor **neutrophil chemotaxis**

IT **Chemotaxis**  
**Neutrophil**  
(antibodies to the interleukin-8 receptor A **inhibit neutrophil chemotaxis**)

IT Antibodies  
RL: BAC (Biological activity or effector, except adverse); BIOL (Biological study)  
(antibodies to the interleukin-8 receptor A **inhibit neutrophil chemotaxis**)

IT Lymphokine and cytokine receptors  
RL: BSU (Biological study, unclassified); BIOL (Biological study)  
(interleukin 8 .alpha., antibodies to the interleukin-8 receptor A **inhibit neutrophil chemotaxis**)

IT Receptors  
RL: BSU (Biological study, unclassified); BIOL (Biological study)  
(interleukin 8, .alpha., antibodies to the interleukin-8 receptor A **inhibit neutrophil chemotaxis**)

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125I-GRO.alpha., and 125I-NAP-2 binding, heterologous competition binding, and calcium flux assays using human embryonic kidney 293 cells stably transfected with receptor DNAs. The following results were obtained: (1) chimeric receptors had binding sites for IL-8, GRO.alpha. and NAP-2 distinct from those on IL-8RA and **IL-8RB**; (2) IL-8, GRO.alpha. and NAP-2 bound to overlapping but distinct sites that mapped differentially to multiple domains on **IL-8RB**; (3) high affinity radioligand binding and high agonist potency were separable functions for IL-8, GRO.alpha. and NAP-2, suggesting that the determinants of high affinity binding may not be crit. for receptor activation; and (4) determinants of GRO.alpha. and NAP-2 selectivity were found in both the N-terminal segment before TMD1 and the region from TMD4 to the end of the e2 loop of **IL-8RB**, and functioned independently of each other. Stated reciprocally, the N-terminal segment of IL-8RA was not a dominant selectivity determinant. These data suggest that both narrow and broad spectrum **chemokine** antagonists can be developed to **block** functions mediated by **IL-8RB**.

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996:41572 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 124:84572  
TITLE: CXC **chemokines** bind to unique sets of selectivity determinants that can function independently and are broadly distributed on multiple domains of human interleukin-8 receptor B  
AUTHOR(S): Ahuja, Sunil K.; Lee, Jennifer C.; Murphy, Philip M.  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Laboratory Host Defenses, National Institutes Health, Bethesda, MD, 20892, USA  
SOURCE: J. Biol. Chem. (1996), 271(1), 225-32  
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ST **chemokine** interleukin 8 receptor

IT Signal transduction, biological

(**chemokine** selectivity determinants are broadly distributed on multiple domains of human interleukin-8 receptor B)

IT Gene, animal

RL: BAC (Biological activity or effector, except adverse); BIOL (Biological study)

(GRO.alpha., **chemokine** selectivity determinants are broadly distributed on multiple domains of human interleukin-8 receptor B)

IT Lymphokines and Cytokines

RL: BAC (Biological activity or effector, except adverse); BIOL (Biological study)

(interleukin 8, **chemokine** selectivity determinants are broadly distributed on multiple domains of human interleukin-8 receptor B)

IT Lymphokine and cytokine receptors

RL: BSU (Biological study, unclassified); BIOL (Biological study)

(interleukin 8 .beta., **chemokine** selectivity determinants are broadly distributed on multiple domains of human interleukin-8 receptor B)

IT Receptors

RL: BSU (Biological study, unclassified); BIOL (Biological study)

(interleukin 8, .beta., **chemokine** selectivity determinants are broadly distributed on multiple domains of human interleukin-8 receptor B)

IT Lymphokines and Cytokines

RL: BAC (Biological activity or effector, except adverse); BIOL (Biological study)

(**neutrophil**-activating protein 2, **chemokine** selectivity determinants are broadly distributed on multiple domains of human interleukin-8 receptor B)

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AB Alanine scanning mutagenesis of the charged amino acids of melanoma growth stimulating activity (MGSA) was used to identify sp. residues that are involved in binding to the human erythrocyte Duffy antigen/**chemokine** receptor (DARC) and to the type B interleukin-8 receptor (**IL-8RB**) on **neutrophils**. Receptor binding and biol. studies with the alanine scan mutants of MGSA demonstrate that MGSA binds to DARC and the **IL-8RB** through distinct binding regions. One of the MGSA mutants, E6A, binds to human erythrocytes and is able to **inhibit** malaria invasion as efficiently as wild type MGSA but has a severely reduced ability to bind to or signal through the **IL-8RB**. Mutant **chemokines** like E6A could prove to be useful therapeutically for the design of receptor **blocking** drugs that **inhibit** erythrocyte invasion by Plasmodium vivax malaria.

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1995:563119 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 123:187835  
 TITLE: A mutant of melanoma growth stimulating activity does not activate **neutrophils** but **blocks** erythrocyte invasion by malaria  
 AUTHOR(S): Hesselgesser, Joseph; Chitnis, Chetan E.; Miller, Louis H.; Yansura, Daniel G.; Simmons, Laura C.; Fairbrother, Wayne J.; Kotts, Claire; Wirth, Cindy; Gillece-Castro, Beth L.; Horuk, Richard  
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Genentech, Inc., South San Francisco, CA, 94080, USA  
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ST cytokine MGSA erythrocyte invasion **blockage** malaria; sequence mutant MGSA cytokine malaria therapeutics

IT Erythrocyte  
 (blockage to invasion of; mutant of melanoma growth stimulating activity does not activate **neutrophils** but **blocks** erythrocyte invasion by malaria)

IT Malaria  
 Melanoma  
 Plasmodium vivax  
 Signal transduction, biological  
 (mutant of melanoma growth stimulating activity does not activate **neutrophils** but **blocks** erythrocyte invasion by malaria)

IT Protein sequences  
 (of distinct binding regions; mutant of melanoma growth stimulating activity does not activate **neutrophils** but **blocks** erythrocyte invasion by malaria)

IT Pharmaceuticals  
 (receptor **blocking**, E6A therapeutic potential use for design of; mutant of melanoma growth stimulating activity does not activate **neutrophils** but **blocks** erythrocyte invasion by malaria)

IT Blood-group substances  
 RL: BSU (Biological study, unclassified); BIOL (Biological study)  
 (Duffy, receptors, residues involved in binding to; mutant of melanoma growth stimulating activity does not activate **neutrophils** but **blocks** erythrocyte invasion by malaria)

IT Lymphokine and cytokine receptors  
Receptors

RL: BSU (Biological study, unclassified); BIOL (Biological study)  
(interleukin 8, E6A reduced ability for binding or, **neutrophil**  
; mutant of melanoma growth stimulating activity does not activate  
**neutrophils** but **blocks** erythrocyte invasion by  
malaria)

IT Lymphokines and Cytokines

RL: PRP (Properties); THU (Therapeutic use); BIOL (Biological study); USES  
(Uses)

(melanoma growth-stimulating activity-.alpha., amino acid sequence and  
therapeutic potential of; mutant of melanoma growth stimulating  
activity does not activate **neutrophils** but **blocks**  
erythrocyte invasion by malaria)

IT 168043-11-6

RL: PRP (Properties); THU (Therapeutic use); BIOL (Biological study); USES  
(Uses)

(amino acid sequence of mutant MGSA, therapeutic potential of; mutant  
of melanoma growth stimulating activity does not activate  
**neutrophils** but **blocks** erythrocyte invasion by  
malaria)

L9 ANSWER 16 OF 20 USPATFULL

AB This invention relates to the use of phenyl ureas of formulas (I) and  
(II) in the treatment of disease states mediated by the  
**chemokine**, Interleukin-8 (IL-8). The variables of (I) and (II)  
are defined herein. ##STR1##

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TITLE: IL-8 receptor antagonists

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- SUMM Many different names have been applied to Interleukin-8 (IL-8), such as **neutrophil** attractant/activation protein-1 (NAP-1), monocyte derived **neutrophil** chemotactic factor (MDNCF), **neutrophil** activating factor (NAF), and T-cell lymphocyte chemotactic factor. Interleukin-8 is a chemoattractant for **neutrophils**, basophils, and a subset of T-cells. It is produced by a majority of nucleated cells including macrophages, fibroblasts, endothelial and epithelial cells exposed to TNF, IL-1.alpha., IL-1.beta. or LPS, and by **neutrophils** themselves when exposed to LPS or chemotactic factors such as FMLP. M. Baggiolini et al, J. Clin. Invest. 84, 1045. . . .
- SUMM Gro.alpha., GRO.beta., GRO.gamma. and NAP-2 also belong to the **chemokine** a family. Like IL-8 these **chemokines** have also been referred to by different names. For instance Gro.alpha., GRO.beta., and GRO.gamma. have been referred to as MGSA.alpha., . . . et al, J. Cell Physiology 129, 375 (1986) and Chang et al, J. Immunol 148, 451 (1992). All of the **chemokines** of the a-family which possess the ELR motif directly preceding the CXC motif bind to the IL-8 B receptor.
- SUMM . . . NAP-2 and ENA-78 stimulate a number of functions in vitro. The have all been shown to have chemoattractant properties for **neutrophils**, while IL-8 and GROa have demonstrated T-lymphocytes, and basophiles chemotactic activity. In addition IL-8 can induce histamine release from basophils. . . . from both normal and atopic individuals GRO-.alpha. and IL-8 can in addition, induce lysozomal enzyme release and respiratory burst from **neutrophils**. IL-8 has also been shown to increase the surface expression of Mac-1 (CD11b/CD18) on **neutrophils** without de novo protein synthesis. This may contribute to increased adhesion of the **neutrophils** to vascular endothelial cells. Many known diseases are characterized by massive **neutrophil** infiltration. As IL-8, Gro.alpha., GRO.beta., GRO.gamma. and NAP-2 promote the accumulation and activation of **neutrophils**, these **chemokines** have been implicated in a wide range of acute and chronic **inflammatory** disorders including psoriasis and rheumatoid **arthritis**, Baggiolini et al, FEBS Lett. 307, 97 (1992); Miller et al, Crit. Rev. Immunol. 12, 17 (1992); Oppenheim et al, . . . et al., Am. Rev. Respir. Dis. 146, 427 (1992); Donnelly et al., Lancet 341, 643 (1993). In addition the ELR **chemokines** (those containing the amino acids ELR motif just prior to the CXC motif) have also been implicated in angiostasis. Strieter. . . .
- SUMM In vitro, IL-8, Gro.alpha., GRO.beta., GRO.gamma. and NAP-2 induce **neutrophil** shape change, **chemotaxis**, granule release, and respiratory burst, by binding to and activating receptors of the seven-transmembrane, G-protein-linked family, in particular by binding. . . . 40, pp. 33-98, Birkhauser Verlag, Basel 1993. Hence, the IL-8 receptor represents a promising target for the development of novel anti-**inflammatory** agents.
- SUMM Two high affinity human IL-8 receptors (77% homology) have been characterized: IL-8Ra, which binds only IL-8 with high affinity, and **IL-8Rb**, which has high affinity for IL-8 as well as for Gro.alpha., GRO.beta., GRO.gamma. and NAP-2. See Holmes et al., supra; . . .

- SUMM . . . to the IL-8 a or b receptor. Therefore, conditions associated with an increase in IL-8 production (which is responsible for **chemotaxis** of **neutrophil** and T-cells subsets into the **inflammatory** site) would benefit by compounds which are **inhibitors** of IL-8 receptor binding.
- SUMM This invention provides for a method of treating a **chemokine** mediated disease, wherein the **chemokine** is one which binds to an IL-8 a or b receptor and which method comprises administering an effective amount of a compound of Formula (I) or (II) or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof. In particular the **chemokine** is IL-8.
- SUMM This invention also relates to a method of **inhibiting** the binding of IL-8 to its receptors in a mammal in need thereof which comprises administering to said mammal an. . .
- SUMM . . . and (II) may also be used in association with the veterinary treatment of mammals, other than humans, in need of **inhibition** of IL-8 or other **chemokines** which bind to the IL-8 a and b receptors. **Chemokine** mediated diseases for treatment, therapeutically or prophylactically, in animals include disease states such as those noted herein in the Methods. . .
- SUMM . . . the novel compounds of Formula (II), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, as described below, which are also useful in **inhibiting** the binding of IL-8 to its receptors in a mammal in need thereof. This invention also relates to the pharmaceutical. . . of Formula (II) and a pharmaceutically acceptable diluent or carrier. Compounds of Formula (II) are also useful for treating a **chemokine** mediated disease, wherein the **chemokine** is one which binds to an IL-8 .alpha. or .beta. receptor and which method comprises administering an effective amount of. . .
- DETD . . . or unregulated IL-8 cytokine production by such mammal's cell, such as but not limited to monocytes and/or macrophages, or other **chemokines** which bind to the IL-8 a or b receptor, also referred to as the type I or type II receptor.
- DETD Accordingly, the present invention provides a method of treating a **chemokine** mediated disease, wherein the **chemokine** is one which binds to an IL-8 a or b receptor and which method comprises administering an effective amount of a compound of Formula (I), or (II) or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof. In particular, the **chemokines** are treating IL-8, GRO.alpha., GRO.beta., GRO.gamma., NAP-2 and ENA-78.
- DETD The compounds of Formula (I) are administered in an amount sufficient to **inhibit** cytokine function, in particular treating IL-8, GRO.alpha., GRO.beta., GRO.gamma., NAP-2 and ENA-78, such that they are biologically regulated down to. . .
- DETD There are many disease states in which excessive or unregulated IL-8 production is implicated in exacerbating and/or causing the disease. **Chemokine** mediated diseases include psoriasis, atopic dermatitis, **arthritis**, **asthma**, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, adult respiratory distress syndrome, **inflammatory** bowel disease, Crohn's disease, ulcerative colitis, stroke, septic shock, endotoxic shock, gram negative sepsis, toxic shock syndrome, cardiac and renal **reperfusion** injury, glomerulonephritis, thrombosis, graft vs. host reaction, alzheimers disease, allograft rejections, malaria, restinosis, angiogenesis or undesired hematopoietic stem cells release.
- DETD These diseases are primarily characterized by massive **neutrophil** infiltration, T-cell infiltration, or neovascular growth, and are associated with increased IL-8, GRO.alpha., GRO.beta., GRO.gamma. or

NAP-2 production which is responsible for the **chemotaxis** of **neutrophils** into the **inflammatory** site or the directional growth of endothelial cells. In contrast to other **inflammatory** cytokines (IL-1, TNF, and IL-6), IL-8, GRO.alpha., GRO.beta., GRO.gamma. or NAP-2 has the unique property of promoting **neutrophil chemotaxis**, enzyme release including but not limited to elastase release as well as superoxide production and activation. The .alpha.-**chemokines** but particularly GRO.alpha., GRO.beta., GRO.gamma. or NAP-2, working through the IL-8 type I or II receptor can promote the neovascularization of tumors by promoting the directional growth of endothelial cells. Therefore, the **inhibition** of IL-8 induced **chemotaxis** or activation would lead to a direct reduction in the **neutrophil** infiltration.

- DETD Recent evidence also implicates the role of **chemokines** in the treatment of HIV infections, Littleman et al., Nature 381, pp. 661 (1996) and Koup et al., Nature 381, . . . .
- DETD . . . of treating, in an acute setting, as well as preventing, in those individuals deemed susceptible to, CNS injuries by the **chemokine** receptor antagonist compounds of Formula (I).
- DETD . . . area, usually as a consequence of an embolus, thrombi, or local atheromatous closure of the blood vessel. The role of **inflammatory** cytokines in this area has been emerging and the present invention provides a mean for the potential treatment of these.
- DETD . . . cytokine with proinflammatory actions, including endothelial leukocyte adhesion molecule expression. Leukocytes infiltrate into ischemic brain lesions and hence compounds which **inhibit** or decrease levels of TNF would be useful for treatment of ischemic brain injury. See Liu et al., Stoke, Vol. . . . .
- DETD The compounds of Formula (I) are administered in an amount sufficient to **inhibit** IL-8, binding to the IL-8 alpha or beta receptors, from binding to these receptors, such as evidenced by a reduction in **neutrophil chemotaxis** and activation. The discovery that the compounds of Formula (I) are **inhibitors** of IL-8 binding is based upon the effects of the compounds of Formulas (I) in the in vitro receptor binding assays which are described herein. The compounds of Formula (I) have been shown, in some instances, to be dual **inhibitors** of both recombinant type I and type II IL-8 receptors. Preferably the compounds are **inhibitors** of only one receptor, more preferably Type II.
- DETD As used herein, the term "**chemokine** mediated disease or disease state" refers to any and all disease states in which a **chemokine** which binds to an IL-8 a or b receptor plays a role, such as but not limited to IL-8, GRO.alpha., . . . .
- DETD . . . secreted polypeptide that affects the functions of cells and is a molecule which modulates interactions between cells in the immune, **inflammatory** or hematopoietic response. A cytokine includes, but is not limited to, monokines and lymphokines, regardless of which cells produce them. . . . such as a macrophage and/or monocyte. Many other cells however also produce monokines, such as natural killer cells, fibroblasts, basophils, **neutrophils**, endothelial cells, brain astrocytes, bone marrow stromal cells, epidermal keratinocytes and B-lymphocytes. Lymphokines are generally referred to as being produced.
- DETD As used herein, the term "**chemokine**" refers to any secreted polypeptide that affects the functions of cells and is a molecule which modulates interactions between cells in the immune, **inflammatory**

or hematopoietic response, similar to the term "cytokine" above. A **chemokine** is primarily secreted through cell transmembranes and causes **chemotaxis** and activation of specific white blood cells and leukocytes, **neutrophils**, monocytes, macrophages, T-cells, B-cells, endothelial cells and smooth muscle cells. Examples of **chemokines** include, but are not limited to, IL-8, GRO.alpha., GRO.beta., GRO.gamma., NAP-2, ENA-78, IP-10, MIP-1a, MIP-b, PF4, and MCP 1, 2, . . .

DETD Formulations suitable for topical administration include liquid or semi-liquid preparations suitable for penetration through the skin to the site of **inflammation** such as liniments, lotions, creams, ointments or pastes, and drops suitable for administration to the eye, ear or nose. The . . .

DETD The IL-8, and Gro-a **chemokine inhibitory** effects of compounds of the present invention were determined by the following in vitro assay:

DETD . . . mixture contained .sup.125 I IL-8 (0.25 nM) or .sup.125 I Gro-a and 0.5 .mu.g/mL of IL-8Ra or 1.0 .mu.g/mL of **IL-8Rb** membranes in 20 mM Bis-Trispropane and 0.4 mM Tris HCl buffers, pH 8.0, containing 1.2 mM MgSO.sub.4, 0.1 mM EDTA, . . . After 1 hour at room temperature the plate was harvested using a Tomtec 96-well harvester onto a glass fiber filtermat **blocked** with 1% polyethylenimine/0.5% BSA and washed 3 times with 25 mM NaCl, 10 mM TrisHCl, 1 mM MgSO.sub.4, 0.5 mM. . .

DETD . . . 1 to 17, demonstrated an IC.sub.50 from about 45 to about <2 .mu.g/mL in the permissive models for IL-8 receptor **inhibition**. The compounds, N-trans-(2-benzyloxycyclohexyl)-N'-((2-benzenesulfonylamino)4-cyanophenyl)urea; N-(ethylisopropylether)-N'-(2-hydroxy-4-nitro-phenyl)urea; and N-(2-carboxyethyl)-N'-(2-hydroxy-4-nitrophenyl)urea were found to be inactive in this assay, as was the compound of Example. . .

DETD **Chemotaxis Assay:**

DETD The in vitro **inhibitory** properties of these compounds are determined in the **neutrophil chemotaxis** assay as described in Current Protocols in Immunology, vol I, Suppl 1, Unit 6.12.3., whose disclosure is incorporated herein by reference in its entirety. **Neutrophils** were isolated from human blood as described in Current Protocols in Immunology Vol I, Suppl 1 Unit 7.23.1, whose disclosure. . . washed, the membrane then stained using the Diff Quick staining protocol (Baxter Products, McGaw Park, Ill., USA). Cells which have **chemotaxed** to the **chemokine** are visually counted using a microscope. Generally, four fields are counted for each sample, these numbers are averaged to give. . . cells represent the maximum chemotactic response of the cells. In the case where a negative control (unstimulated) is desired, no **chemokine** is added to the bottom chamber. The difference between the positive control and the negative control represents the chemotactic activity. .

DETD The compounds of this invention are tested for their ability to prevent Elastase release from human **neutrophils**. **Neutrophils** are isolated from human blood as described in Current Protocols in Immunology Vol I, Suppl 1 Unit 7.23.1. PMNs 0.88.times.10.sup.6. . .

CLM What is claimed is:

1. A method of treating a **chemokine** mediated disease state, wherein the **chemokine** binds to an IL-8 a or b receptor in a mammal, which comprises administering to said mammal an effective amount. . .
6. The method according to claim 1 wherein the mammal is afflicted with



a **chemokine** mediated disease selected from psoriasis, atopic dermatitis, **asthma**, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, adult respiratory distress syndrome, **arthritis**, **inflammatory** bowel disease, ulcerative colitis, septic shock, endotoxic shock, gram negative sepsis, toxic shock syndrome, stroke, cardiac and renal **reperfusion** injury, glomerulo-nephritis, thrombosis, neurotrauma, graft vs. host reaction, or allograft rejections.

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AB This invention relates to the novel amino substituted pyrimidine compounds of Formulas (I), (II) and (III), and pharmaceutical compositions comprising a compound of these Formulas and a pharmaceutically acceptable diluent or carrier.

This invention also relates to a method of **inhibiting** CSBP kinase and cytokines mediated by this kinase, for the treatment of cytokine mediated diseases, in mammals, by administration of a compound of Formula (I), (II) or (III). ##STR1##

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SUMM . . . demonstrated to mediate a variety of biological activities

thought to be important in immunoregulation and other physiological conditions such as **inflammation** [See, e.g., Dinarello et al., Rev. Infect. Disease, 6, 51 (1984)]. The myriad of known biological activities of IL-1 include the activation of T helper cells, induction of fever, stimulation of prostaglandin or collagenase production, **neutrophil chemotaxis**, induction of acute phase proteins and the suppression of plasma iron levels.

SUMM . . . disease states in which excessive or unregulated IL-1 production is implicated in exacerbating and/or causing the disease. These include rheumatoid **arthritis**, osteoarthritis, endotoxemia and/or toxic shock syndrome, other acute or chronic **inflammatory** disease states such as the **inflammatory** reaction induced by endotoxin or **inflammatory** bowel disease; tuberculosis, **atherosclerosis**, muscle degeneration, cachexia, psoriatic **arthritis**, Reiter's syndrome, rheumatoid **arthritis**, gout, traumatic **arthritis**, rubella **arthritis**, and acute synovitis. Recent evidence also links IL-1 activity to diabetes and pancreatic .beta. cells.

SUMM Excessive or unregulated TNF production has been implicated in mediating or exacerbating a number of diseases including rheumatoid **arthritis**, rheumatoid spondylitis, osteoarthritis, gouty **arthritis** and other **arthritic** conditions; sepsis, septic shock, endotoxic shock, gram negative sepsis, toxic shock syndrome, adult respiratory distress syndrome, cerebral malaria, chronic pulmonary **inflammatory** disease, silicosis, pulmonary sarcoisosis, bone resorption diseases, **reperfusion** injury, graft vs. host reaction, allograft rejections, fever and myalgias due to infection, such as influenza, cachexia secondary to infection. . . .

SUMM . . . and/or virus replication by playing a role in maintaining T lymphocyte activation. Therefore, interference with monokine activity such as by **inhibition** of monokine production, notably TNF, in an HIV-infected individual aids in limiting the maintenance of T cell activation, thereby reducing. . . . shown to activate HIV replication in monocytes and/or macrophages [See Poli, et al., Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci., 87:782-784 (1990)], therefore, **inhibition** of monokine production or activity aids in limiting HIV progression as stated above for T-cells.

SUMM . . . by IL-1, TNF, or lipopolysachharide (LPS). Human IL-8 has been shown to act on Mouse, Guinea Pig, Rat, and Rabbit **Neutrophils**. Many different names have been applied to IL-8, such as **neutrophil** attractant/activation protein-1 (NAP-1), monocyte derived **neutrophil** chemotactic factor (MDNCF), **neutrophil** activating factor (NAF), and T-cell lymphocyte chemotactic factor.

SUMM IL-8 stimulates a number of functions in vitro. It has been shown to have chemoattractant properties for **neutrophils**, T-lymphocytes, and basophils. In addition it induces histamine release from basophils from both normal and atopic individuals as well as lysozomal enzyme release and respiratory burst from **neutrophils**. IL-8 has also been shown to increase the surface expression of Mac-1 (CD11 b/CD18) on **neutrophils** without de novo protein synthesis, this may contribute to increased adhesion of the **neutrophils** to vascular endothelial cells. Many diseases are characterized by massive **neutrophil** infiltration. Conditions associated with an increased in IL-8 production (which is responsible for **chemotaxis** of **neutrophils** into the **inflammatory** site) would benefit by compounds which are suppressive of IL-8 production.

- SUMM . . . wide variety of cells and tissues and these cytokines as well as other leukocyte derived cytokines are important and critical **inflammatory** mediators of a wide variety of disease states and conditions. The **inhibition** of these cytokines is of benefit in controlling, reducing and alleviating many of these disease states.
- SUMM There remains a need for treatment, in this field, for compounds which are cytokine suppressive anti-**inflammatory** drugs, i.e. compounds which are capable of **inhibiting** cytokines, such as IL-1, IL-6, IL-8 and TNF.
- SUMM This invention also relates to a method of **inhibiting** cytokines and the treatment of a cytokine mediated disease, in a mammal in need thereof, which comprises administering to said. . .
- SUMM This invention more specifically relates to a method of **inhibiting** the production of IL-1 in a mammal in need thereof which comprises administering to said mammal an effective amount of. . .
- SUMM This invention more specifically relates to a method of **inhibiting** the production of IL-8 in a mammal in need thereof which comprises administering to said mammal an effective amount of. . .
- SUMM This invention more specifically relates to a method of **inhibiting** the production of TNF in a mammal in need thereof which comprises administering to said mammal an effective amount of. . .
- DETD Compounds of formula (I) are capable of **inhibiting** proinflammatory cytokines, such as IL-1, IL-6, IL-8 and TNF and are therefore of use in therapy. IL-1, IL-8 and TNF. . . a wide variety of cells and tissues and these cytokines, as well as other leukocyte-derived cytokines, are important and critical **inflammatory** mediators of a wide variety of disease states and conditions. The **inhibition** of these pro-**inflammatory** cytokines is of benefit in controlling, reducing and alleviating many of these disease states.
- DETD Accordingly, in another aspect, this invention relates to a method of **inhibiting** the production of IL-1 in a mammal in need thereof which comprises administering to said mammal an effective amount of. . .
- DETD . . . disease states in which excessive or unregulated IL-1 production is implicated in exacerbating and/or causing the disease. These include rheumatoid **arthritis**, osteoarthritis, endotoxemia and/or toxic shock syndrome, other acute or chronic **inflammatory** disease states such as the **inflammatory** reaction induced by endotoxin or **inflammatory** bowel disease, tuberculosis, **atherosclerosis**, muscle degeneration, multiple sclerosis, cachexia, bone resorption, psoriatic **arthritis**, Reiter's syndrome, rheumatoid **arthritis**, gout, traumatic **arthritis**, rubella **arthritis** and acute synovitis. Recent evidence also links IEL-1 activity to diabetes, pancreatic .beta. cells and Alzheimer's disease.
- DETD In a further aspect, this invention relates to a method of **inhibiting** the production of TNF in a mammal in need thereof which comprises administering to said mammal an effective amount of. . .
- DETD Excessive or unregulated TNF production has been implicated in mediating or exacerbating a number of diseases including rheumatoid **arthritis**, rheumatoid spondylitis, osteoarthritis, gouty **arthritis** and other **arthritic** conditions, sepsis, septic shock, endotoxic shock, gram negative sepsis, toxic shock

syndrome, adult respiratory distress syndrome, cerebral malaria, chronic pulmonary **inflammatory** disease, silicosis, pulmonary sarcoisosis, bone resorption diseases, such as osteoporosis, **reperfusion** injury, graft vs. host reaction, allograft rejections, fever and myalgias due to infection, such as influenza, cachexia secondary to infection. . . .

DETD . . . contemplated for treatment herein are those that produce TNF as a result of infection, or those which are sensitive to **inhibition**, such as by decreased replication, directly or indirectly, by the TNF **inhibiting**-compounds of formula (I). Such viruses include, but are not limited to HIV-1, HIV-2 and HIV-3, Cytomegalovirus (CMV), Influenza, adenovirus and. . . mammal, preferably a human, afflicted with a human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) which comprises administering to such mammal an effective TNF **inhibiting** amount of a compound of formula (I) or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

DETD . . . (I) may also be used in association with the veterinary treatment of mammals, other than in humans, in need of **inhibition** of TNF production. TNF mediated diseases for treatment, therapeutically or prophylactically, in animals include disease states such as those noted. . . Examples of such viruses include, but are not limited to, the lentivirus infections such as equine infectious anaemia virus, caprine **arthritis** virus, visna virus, or the maedi virus, or the retroviruses, such as feline immunodeficiency virus (FIV), bovine immunodeficiency virus, or. . .

DETD . . . exacerbated by excessive cytokine production, such as by IL-1 or TNF respectively, such as inflamed joints, eczema, psoriasis and other **inflammatory** skin conditions such as sunburn; **inflammatory** eye conditions including conjunctivitis; pyresis, pain and other conditions associated with **inflammation**.

DETD Another aspect of the present invention relates to a method of **inhibiting** the production of IL-8 (Interleukin-8, NAP) in a mammal in need thereof which comprises administering to said mammal an effective. . .

DETD . . . which excessive or unregulated IL-8 production is implicated in exacerbating and/or causing the disease. These diseases are characterized by massive **neutrophil** infiltration such as, psoriasis, **inflammatory** bowel disease, **asthma**, cardiac and renal **reperfusion** injury, adult respiratory distress syndrome, thrombosis and glomerulonephritis. All of these diseases are associated with increased IL-8 production which is responsible for the **chemotaxis** of **neutrophils** into the **inflammatory** site. In contrast to other **inflammatory** cytokines (IL-1, TNF, and IL-6), IL-8 has the unique property of promoting **neutrophil chemotaxis** and activation. Therefore, the **inhibition** of IL-8 production would lead to a direct reduction in the **neutrophil** infiltration.

DETD The compounds of formula (I) are administered in an amount sufficient to **inhibit** cytokine, in particular IL-1, IL-8 or TNF, production such that it is regulated down to normal levels, or in some. . .

DETD The discovery that the compounds of formula (I) are **inhibitors** of cytokines, specifically IL-1, IL-8 and TNF is based upon the effects of the compounds of formulas (I) on the. . .

DETD As used herein, the term "**inhibiting** the production of IL-1 (IL-8 or TNF)" refers to:

DETD . . . excessive in vivo levels of the cytokine (IL-1, IL-8 or TNF) in a human to normal or sub-normal levels by **inhibition** of the in

vivo release of the cytokine by all cells, including but not limited to monocytes or macrophages;

DETD c) a down regulation, by **inhibition** of the direct synthesis of the cytokine (IL-1, IL-8 or TNF) as a postranslational event; or  
 DETD . . . secreted polypeptide that affects the functions of cells and is a molecule which modulates interactions between cells in the immune, **inflammatory** or hematopoietic response. A cytokine includes, but is not limited to, monokines and lymphokines, regardless of which cells produce them. . . . such as a macrophage and/or monocyte. Many other cells however also produce monokines, such as natural killer cells, fibroblasts, basophils, **neutrophils**, endothelial cells, brain astrocytes, bone marrow stromal cells, epidermal keratinocytes and B-lymphocytes. Lymphokines are generally referred to as being produced.

DETD As used herein, the cytokine referred to in the phrase "**inhibition** of a cytokine, for use in the treatment of a HIV-infected human" is a cytokine which is implicated in (a). . . .

DETD . . . cachectin) and since each induces similar biologic responses and binds to the same cellular receptor, both TNF-.alpha. and TNF-.beta. are **inhibited** by the compounds of the present invention and thus are herein referred to collectively as "TNF" unless specifically delineated otherwise.

DETD Compounds of Formula (I) are capable of **inhibiting** inducible proinflammatory proteins, such as COX-2, also referred to by many other names such as prostaglandin endoperoxide synthase-2 (PGHS-2) and. . . . products derived from arachidonic acid, such as prostaglandins affect a wide variety of cells and tissues are important and critical **inflammatory** mediators of a wide variety of disease states and conditions. Expression of COX-1 is not effected by compounds of Formula (I). This selective **inhibition** of COX-2 may alleviate or spare ulcerogenic liability associated with **inhibition** of COX-1 thereby **inhibiting** prostoglandins essential for cytoprotective effects. Thus **inhibition** of these pro-**inflammatory** mediators is of benefit in controlling, reducing and alleviating many of these disease states. Most notably these **inflammatory** mediators, in particular prostaglandins, have been implicated in pain, such as in the sensitization of pain receptors, or edema. This aspect of pain management therefore includes treatment of neuromuscular pain, headache, cancer pain, and **arthritis** pain. Compounds of Formula (I) or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, are of use in the prophylaxis or therapy in a human, or other mammal, by **inhibition** of the synthesis of the COX-2 enzyme.

DETD Accordingly, the present invention provides a method of **inhibiting** the synthesis of COX-2 which comprises administering an effective amount of a compound of Formula (I), (II), or (III) or. . . . salt thereof. The present invention also provides for a method of prophylaxis treatment in a human, or other mammal, by **inhibition** of the synthesis of the COX-2 enzyme.

DETD . . . as physicochemical stress and treatment with lipopolysaccharide or proinflammatory cytokines such as interleukin-1 and tumor necrosis factor. The cytokine biosynthesis **inhibitors** of the present invention may be determined to be potent and selective **inhibitors** of CSBP/p38/RK kinase activity by the assay as described herein. These **inhibitors** are of aid in determining the signaling pathways involvement in **inflammatory** responses. In particular, for the first time a definitive signal transduction pathway can be prescribed to the action of lipopolysaccharide in cytokine production in macrophages. In addition to those diseases

already noted, treatment of stroke, neurotrauma, cardiac and renal **reperfusion** injury, thrombosis, glomerulonephritis, diabetes and pancreatic .beta. cells, multiple sclerosis, muscle degeneration, eczema, psoriasis, sunburn, and conjunctivitis are also included.

DETD The cytokine **inhibitors** were subsequently tested in a number of animal models for anti-**inflammatory** activity. Model systems were chosen that were relatively insensitive to cyclooxygenase **inhibitors** in order to reveal the unique activities of cytokine suppressive agents. The **inhibitors** exhibited significant activity in many such in vivo studies. Most notable are its effectiveness in the collagen-induced **arthritis** model and **inhibition** of TNF production in the endotoxic shock model. In the latter study, the reduction in plasma level of TNF correlated with survival and protection from endotoxic shock related mortality. Also of great importance are the compounds effectiveness in **inhibiting** bone resorption in a rat fetal long bone organ culture system. Griswold et al., (1988) **Arthritis Rheum.** 31:1406-1412; Badger, et al., (1989) *Circ. Shock* 27, 51-61; Votta et al., (1994) *in vitro. Bone* 15, 533-538; Lee et. . . .

DETD Formulations suitable for topical administration include liquid or semi-liquid preparations suitable for penetration through the skin to the site of **inflammation** such as liniments, lotions, creams, ointments or pastes, and drops suitable for administration to the eye, ear or nose. The. . . .

DETD The cytokine-**inhibiting** effects of compounds of the present invention are determined by the following in vitro assays:

DETD (2) Boehm, et al., 1-substituted 4-aryl-5-pyridinylimidazoles--a new class of cytokine suppressive drugs with low 5-lipoxygenase and cyclooxygenase **inhibitory** potency. *Journal Of Medicinal Chemistry* 39, 3929-3937 (1996) whose disclosures are incorporated by reference herein in their entirety.

DETD The IL-8 cytokine-**inhibiting** effects of compounds of the present invention may be determined by the following in vitro assay.

DETD . . . micro plate format. Each reaction mixture contains .sup.125 I IL-8 (0.25 nM), 0.5 .mu.g/mL of IL-8Ra or 1.0 .mu.g/mL of **IL-8Rb** membranes in 20 mM Bis-Trispropane and 0.4 mM Tris HCl buffers, pH 8.0, containing 1.2 mM MgSO.sub.4, 0.1 mM EDTA,. . . . After 1 hour at room temperature the plate is harvested using a Tomtec 96-well harvester onto a glass fiber filtermat **blocked** with 1% polyethylenimine/0.5% BSA and washed 3 times with 25 mM NaCl, 10 mM TrisHCl, 1 mM MgSO.sub.4, 0.5 mM. . . .

DETD . . . binding assay has been extensively validated to highly correlate with the results of the bioassay. A specific and reproducible cytokine **inhibitor** binding assay was developed using soluble cytosolic fraction from THP. 1 cells and a radiolabeled compound. U.S. patent application Ser.. . . .

DETD . . . with the following sequence: KRELVEPLTPSGEAPNQALLR (residues 661-681). (See Gallagher et al., "Regulation of Stress Induced Cytokine Production by Pyridinyl imidazoles: **Inhibition** of CSPB Kinase", *BioOrganic & Medicinal Chemistry*, to be published 1996).

DETD The following assay describes a method for determining the **inhibitory** effects of compounds of Formula (I) on human PGHS-2 protein expression in LPS stimulated human monocytes.

DETD Results: The following compounds were tested and found to be active in this assay (i.e., **inhibited** LPS induced PGHS-2 protein expression in rank order potency similar to that for **inhibiting** cytokine production as noted in assays indicated): 4-(4-Fluorophenyl)-2-(4-methylsulfinylphenyl)-5-(4-pyridyl)imidazole; 6-(4-Fluorophenyl)-2,3-

DETD dihydro-5-(4-pyridinyl)imidazo[2,1-b]thiazole; and Dexamethasone.  
 . . . found to be inactive (up to 10 uM): 2-(4-Methylsulfinylphenyl)-  
 3-(4-pyridyl)-6,7-dihydro-(5H)-pyrrolo[1,2-a]imidazolerolipram;  
 phenidone and NDGA. None of the compounds tested was found to  
**inhibit** PGHS-1 or cPLA.sub.2 protein levels in similar  
 experiments.

CLM What is claimed is:

7. The method according to claim 1 wherein the CSBP/RK/p38 kinase  
 mediated disease is psoriatic **arthritis**, Reiter's syndrome,  
 rheumatoid **arthritis**, gout, traumatic **arthritis**,  
 rubella **arthritis** and acute synovitis, rheumatoid spondylitis,  
 osteoarthritis, gouty **arthritis** or other **arthritic**  
 condition.

10. The method according to claim 1 wherein the CSBP/RK/p38 kinase  
 mediated disease is **asthma**, adult respiratory distress  
 syndrome, cerebral malaria, chronic pulmonary **inflammatory**  
 disease, silicosis, or pulmonary sarcososis.

11. The method according to claim 1 wherein the CSBP/RK/p38 kinase  
 mediated disease is **inflammatory** bowel disease, Crohn's  
 disease, or ulcerative colitis.

14. The method according to claim 1 wherein the CSBP/RK/p38 kinase  
 mediated disease is restenosis, cardiac and renal **reperfusion**  
 injury, thrombosis, glomerularnephritis, or diabetes.

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AB This invention relates to novel carboxylic acid indole compounds and  
 compositions for use in the treatment of disease states mediated by the  
**chemokine**, Interleukin-8 (IL-8).

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TITLE: Carboxylic acid indole **inhibitors** of  
**chemokines**

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AB . . . relates to novel carboxylic acid indole compounds and compositions for use in the treatment of disease states mediated by the **chemokine**, Interleukin-8 (IL-8).

SUMM Many different names have been applied to Interleukin-8 (IL-8), such as **neutrophil** attractant/activation protein-1 (NAP-1), monocyte derived **neutrophil** chemotactic factor (MDNCF), **neutrophil** activating factor (NAF), and T-cell lymphocyte chemotactic factor. Interleukin-8 is a chemoattractant for **neutrophils**, basophils, and a subset of T-cells. It is produced by a majority of nucleated cells including macrophages, fibroblasts, endothelial and epithelial cells exposed to TNF, IL-1.alpha., IL-1.beta. or LPS, and by **neutrophils** themselves when exposed to LPS or chemotactic factors such as FMLP. M. Baggiolini et al, J. Clin. Invest. 84, 1045. . . .

SUMM Gro.alpha., GRO.beta., GRO.gamma. and NAP-2 also belong to the **chemokine** .alpha. family. Like IL-8 these **chemokines** have also been referred to by different names. For instance GRO.alpha., .beta., .gamma. have been referred to as MGSA.alpha., .beta., and . . . et al, J. Cell Physiology 129, 375 (1986) and Chang et al, J. Immunol 148, 451 (1992). All of the **chemokines** of the .alpha.-family which possess the ELR motif directly preceding the CXC motif bind to the IL-8 B receptor.

SUMM . . . NAP-2 and ENA-78 stimulate a number of functions in vitro. They have all been shown to have chemoattractant properties for **neutrophils**, while IL-8 and GRO.alpha. have demonstrated T-lymphocytes, and basophiles chemotactic activity. In addition IL-8 can induce histamine release from basophils. . . . from both normal and atopic individuals GRO-.alpha. and IL-8 can in addition, induce lysozomal enzyme release and respiratory burst from **neutrophils**. IL-8 has also been shown to increase the surface expression of Mac-1 (CD11b/CD18) on **neutrophils** without de novo protein synthesis. This may contribute to increased adhesion of the **neutrophils** to vascular endothelial cells. Many known diseases are characterized by massive **neutrophil** infiltration. As IL-8, Gro.alpha., GRO.beta., GRO.gamma. and NAP-2 promote the accumulation and activation of **neutrophils**, these **chemokines** have been implicated in a wide range of acute and chronic **inflammatory** disorders including psoriasis and rheumatoid **arthritis**, Baggiolini et al, FEBS Lett. 307, 97 (1992); Miller et al, Crit. Rev. Immunol. 12, 17 (1992); Oppenheim et al, . . . et al., Am. Rev. Respir. Dis. 146, 427 (1992); Donnelly et al., Lancet 341, 643 (1993). In addition the ELR **chemokines** (those containing the amino acids ELR motif just prior to the CXC motif) have also been implicated in angiostasis. Strieter. . . .

SUMM In vitro, IL-8, Gro.alpha., GRO.beta., GRO.gamma. and NAP-2 induce **neutrophil** shape change, **chemotaxis**, granule release, and respiratory burst, by binding to and activating receptors of the



seven-transmembrane, G-protein-linked family, in particular by binding. . . 40, pp. 33-98, Birkhauser Verlag, Basel 1993. Hence, the IL-8 receptor represents a promising target for the development of novel anti-inflammatory agents.

SUMM . . . to the IL-8 .alpha. or .beta. receptor. Therefore, conditions associated with an increase in IL-8 production (which is responsible for **chemotaxis** of **neutrophil** and T-cells subsets into the **inflammatory** site) would benefit by compounds which are **inhibitors** of IL-8 receptor binding.

SUMM This invention provides for a method of treating a **chemokine** mediated disease, wherein the **chemokine** is one which binds to an IL-8 .alpha. or .beta. receptor and which method comprises administering an effective amount of a compound of Formula (I) or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof. In particular the **chemokine** is IL-8.

SUMM This invention also relates to a method of **inhibiting** the binding of IL-8 to its receptors in a mammal in need thereof which comprises administering to said mammal an. . .

SUMM . . . Formula (I) may also be used in association with the veterinary treatment of mammals, other than humans, in need of **inhibition** of IL-8 or other **chemokines** which bind to the IL-8 a and b receptors. **Chemokine** mediated diseases for treatment, therapeutically or prophylactically, in animals include disease states such as those noted herein in the Methods. . .

DETD . . . or unregulated IL-8 cytokine production by such mammal's cell, such as but not limited to monocytes and/or macrophages, or other **chemokines** which bind to the IL-8 a or b receptor, also referred to as the type I or type II receptor.

DETD Accordingly, the present invention provides a method of treating a **chemokine** mediated disease, wherein the **chemokine** is one which binds to an IL-8 a or b receptor and which method comprises administering an effective amount of a compound of Formula (I) or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof. In particular, the **chemokines** are IL-8, GRO.alpha., GRO.beta., GRO.gamma., NAP-2 or ENA-78.

DETD The compounds of Formula (I) are administered in an amount sufficient to **inhibit** cytokine function, in particular IL-8, GRO.alpha., GRO.beta., GRO.gamma., NAP-2 or ENA-78, such that they are biologically regulated down to normal. . .

DETD There are many disease states in which excessive or unregulated IL-8 production is implicated in exacerbating and/or causing the disease. **Chemokine** mediated diseases include psoriasis, atopic dermatitis, **arthritis**, **asthma**, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, adult respiratory distress syndrome, **inflammatory** bowel disease, Crohn's disease, ulcerative colitis, stroke, septic shock, endotoxic shock, gram negative sepsis, toxic shock syndrome, cardiac and renal **reperfusion** injury, glomerulonephritis, thrombosis, graft vs. host reaction, alzheimers disease, allograft rejections, malaria, restinosis, angiogenesis or undesired hematopoietic stem cells release.

DETD These diseases are primarily characterized by massive **neutrophil** infiltration, T-cell infiltration, or neovascular growth, and are associated with IL-8, GRO.alpha., GRO.beta., GRO.gamma., or NAP-2 production which is responsible for the **chemotaxis** of **neutrophils** into the **inflammatory** site or the directional growth of endothelial cells. In contrast to other **inflammatory** cytokines (IL-1, TNF, and IL-6), with IL-8, GRO.alpha., GRO.beta., GRO.gamma., or NAP-2 has the unique property of

promoting **neutrophil chemotaxis**, enzyme release including but not limited to elastase release as well as superoxide production and activation. The **a-chemokines** but particularly, with IL-8, GRO.alpha., GRO.beta., GRO.gamma., or NAP-2, working through the IL-8 type I or II receptor can promote the neovascularization of tumors by promoting the directional growth of endothelial cells. Therefore, the **inhibition** of IL-8 induced **chemotaxis** or activation would lead to a direct reduction in the **neutrophil** infiltration.

DETD The compounds of Formula (I) are administered in an amount sufficient to **inhibit** IL-8, binding to the IL-8 alpha or beta receptors, from binding to these receptors, such as evidenced by a reduction in **neutrophil chemotaxis** and activation. The discovery that the compounds of Formula (I) are **inhibitors** of IL-8 binding is based upon the effects of the compounds of Formulas (I) in the in vitro receptor binding assays which are described herein. The compounds of Formula (I) have been shown to be dual **inhibitors** of both recombinant type I and type II IL-8 receptors. Preferably the compounds are **inhibitors** of only one receptor, preferably Type II.

DETD As used herein, the term "**chemokine** mediated disease or disease state" refers to any and all disease states in which a **chemokine** which binds to an IL-8 .alpha. or b receptor plays a role, such as but not limited to with IL-8, . . .

DETD . . . secreted polypeptide that affects the functions of cells and is a molecule which modulates interactions between cells in the immune, **inflammatory** or hematopoietic response. A cytokine includes, but is not limited to, monokines and lymphokines, regardless of which cells produce them. . . . such as a macrophage and/or monocyte. Many other cells however also produce monokines, such as natural killer cells, fibroblasts, basophils, **neutrophils**, endothelial cells, brain astrocytes, bone marrow stromal cells, epidermal keratinocytes and B-lymphocytes. Lymphokines are generally referred to as being produced.

DETD As used herein, the term "**chemokine**" refers to any secreted polypeptide that affects the functions of cells and is a molecule which modulates interactions between cells in the immune, **inflammatory** or hematopoietic response, similar to the term "cytokine" above. A **chemokine** is primarily secreted through cell transmembranes and causes **chemotaxis** and activation of specific white blood cells and leukocytes, **neutrophils**, monocytes, macrophages, T-cells, B-cells, endothelial cells and smooth muscle cells. Examples of **chemokines** include, but are not limited to with IL-8, GRO.alpha., GRO.beta., GRO.gamma., NAP-2, ENA-78, IP-10, MIP-1.alpha., MIP-.beta., PF4, and MCP 1, . . .

DETD Formulations suitable for topical administration include liquid or semi-liquid preparations suitable for penetration through the skin to the site of **inflammation** such as liniments, lotions, creams, ointments or pastes, and drops suitable for administration to the eye, ear or nose. The . . .

DETD The IL-8 cytokine-**inhibiting** effects of compounds of the present invention were determined by the following in vitro assay:

DETD . . . mixture contained .sup.125 I IL-8 (0.25 nM) or .sup.125 I Gro-a and 0.5 .mu.g/mL of IL-8Ra or 1.0 .mu.g/mL of **IL-8Rb** membranes in 20 mM Bis-Trispropane and 0.4 mM Tris HCl buffers, pH 8.0, containing 1.2 mM MgSO.sub.4, 0.1 mM EDTA, . . . After 1 hour at room temperature the plate was harvested using a Tomtec 96-well harvester onto a glass fiber filtermat **blocked** with 1%

polyethylenimine/0.5% BSA and washed 3 times with 25 mM NaCl, 10 mM TrisHCl, 1 mM MgSO<sub>4</sub>, 0.5 mM.

DETD Compounds of Formula (I) as exemplified by Examples 1 to 16 all showed a positive **inhibition** in this assay from a range of 4  $\mu$ M to about 50  $\mu$ Molar.

DETD **Chemotaxis** Assay:

DETD The in vitro **inhibitory** properties of these compounds were determined in the **neutrophil chemotaxis** assay as described in Current Protocols in Immunology, Vol I, Suppl 1, Unit 6.12.3., whose disclosure is incorporated herein by reference in its entirety. **Neutrophils** were isolated from human blood as described in Current Protocols in Immunology Vol I, Suppl 1 Unit 7.23.1, whose disclosure . . . the membrane was then stained using the Diff Quick staining protocol (Baxter Products, McGaw Park, Ill., USA). Cell which had **chemotaxed** to the **chemokine** were visually counted using a microscope. Generally, four fields were counted for each sample, these number were averaged to give. . . cells represent the maximum chemotactic response of the cells. In the case where a negative control (unstimulated) was desired, no **chemokine** was added to the bottom chamber. The difference between the positive control and the negative control represents the chemotactic activity. . .

DETD The compounds of this invention were tested for their ability to prevent Elastase release from human **neutrophils**. **Neutrophils** were isolated from human blood as described in Current Protocols in Immunology Vol I, Suppl 1 Unit 7.23.1. PMNs 0.88.times.10<sup>6</sup>.

CLM What is claimed is:

9. A method of treating a **chemokine** mediated disease state, wherein the **chemokine** binds to an IL-8  $\alpha$  or  $\beta$  receptor in a mammal, which comprises administering to said mammal an effective amount. . .  
10. The method according to claim 9 wherein the **chemokine** is IL-8.

. . . method according to claim 9 wherein the mammal is afflicted with an IL-8 mediated disease selected from psoriasis, atopic dermatitis, **arthritis**, **asthma**, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, adult respiratory distress syndrome, **inflammatory** bowel disease, Crohn's disease, ulcerative colitis, stroke, septic shock, endotoxic shock, gram negative sepsis, toxic shock syndrome, cardiac and renal **reperfusion** injury, glomerulonephritis, thrombosis, graft vs. host reaction, allograft rejections, and malaria.

12. A method of treating **inflammation** in a mammal in need thereof, which comprises administering to said mammal an effective amount of a compound of Formula. . .

13. A method of treating **asthma** in a mammal in need thereof, which comprises administering to said mammal an effective amount of a compound of Formula. . .

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AB gpD protein, the major subunit of the Duffy blood group antigenic system, has been isolated. gpD protein contains the receptor, by which *P. vivax* enters red cells and causes malaria. gpD has significant sequence homology with human and rabbit interleukin-8 receptors and, therefore, gpD protein likely is a new class of chemoattractant cytokines receptor. gpD protein cDNA has a quasi-total homology with a human hippocampus cDNA clone HHCMF86 and, therefore, gpD protein or a

homologous protein may be present as a neuropeptide receptor in brain. gpD protein is present in all red cell progenitors and it may be a receptor for cell proliferation and/or differentiation. gpD protein cDNA identifies in human kidney a mRNA of the same size as the bone marrow. Since the kidney is not and has no potential to become an erythropoietic organ, this putative chemoattractant receptor may have essential renal functions. gpD protein has therapeutic value in the prevention of malaria and in the regulation of erythrocyte, neural and renal functions and can be combined with physiologically acceptable diluents to yield a therapeutic agent suitable for these purposes. Peptides corresponding to a portion of gpD protein that contains the receptor also have been synthesized. Such peptides have therapeutic usefulness identical to that of gpD protein. gpD protein and such peptides also have utility in the production of therapeutics, e.g., antibodies, complementary peptides, etc., which are also useful to treat malaria and regulate essential erythrocyte, neural and renal functions.

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DETD . . . structure-function of this novel red cell membrane protein that might exist in other celltypes and may function as a **chemokine** receptor, and (iv) the role of gpD protein as the receptor for *P. vivax* merozoite invasion.

DETD . . . U.S. Pat. No. 5,101,017, have disclosed a monoclonal antibody specific for gpD protein (hereinafter "the Rubinstein antibody"). The Rubinstein antibody **blocks** the penetration of the *P. vivax* malaria parasite into human red blood cells by virtue of effective **blocking** of the target molecule of the *P. vivax* malaria parasite. It is likely that the Rubinstein antibody has a combining . . . *vivax* infection, to induce anti-idiotypic responses, as alluded to above, that protect against these parasites, and directly in vivo to **block** the red cell receptors for the parasites. Details of these and other uses of the Rubinstein et al. antibody are. . .

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Receptor for the Malarial Parasite *Plasmodium vivax*: The Erythrocyte **Chemokine** Receptor", Science, 261, 1182 (1993). The erythrocyte receptor apparently differs from the IL-8 receptors, IL-8RA and IL-8RB on **neutrophils**. The erythrocyte receptor binds a family of chemotactic and proinflammatory soluble peptides, including IL-8, melanoma growth stimulatory activity (MGSA), monocyte. . . secretion of these proteins. For example, it has been postulated that the erythrocyte receptor acts as a scavenger for certain **inflammatory** mediators, including IL-8. Administration of gpD protein (or the inventive synthetic peptides), therefore, would be expected to enhance scavenging of IL-8, thereby, lessening any IL-8 induced **inflammation**. For this purpose, the inventive vaccine, as described above, is suitable as a therapeutic agent.

- DETD Proteins that are complementary to gpD protein or the inventive synthetic peptides, e.g., antibodies specific to gpD, will **block** the natural receptor(s) and, consequently, will also have the therapeutic utilities outlined above. In the preparation of such complementary proteins, . . .
- DETD Pe 1 peptide was obtained by sequencing the non-fractionated CNBr digest using the O-phthalaldehyde (OPA) **blocking** reagent (see, A. W. Brauer et al., Anal. Biochem., 137, 134 (1983)). Pe 5 peptide was the partial sequence of. . .
- DETD . . . et al., Science, 253, 1278 (1991); and P. M. Murphy et al., Science, 253, 1280 (1991). If dpD protein bind **chemokines** and has the ability to activate a signal transduction cascade, this gives rise to gpD protein as a new class of **pro-inflammatory** mediators. Thus, gpD protein is not present in white blood cells, since a rabbit polyclonal antibody (anti-gpD) against purified and. . .

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